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TITLE OF INVENTION: CONCRETE BUILDING MODULE WITH MODULE LIFTING MEANS AND METHOD

APPLN. TYPE	SMALL ENTITY	ISSUE FEE	PUBLICATION FEE	TOTAL FEE(S) DUE	DATE DUE
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2. X The allowed claim(s) is/are 1-18	·
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